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HAZARDOUS MATERIALS AND WASTE MANAGEMENT DIVISION

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Colorado Department of Public Health and Environment

June 19, 1996

Ms. Lisa Reed US Environmental Protection Agency 999 18th Street Suite 500 Denver, Colorado 80202

Dear Ms. Reed:

The Hazardous Materials and Waste Management Division (the Division) of the Colorado Department of Public Health and Environment (the Department) is the implementing agency for the Voluntary Cleanup and Redevelopment Act, §§ 25-16 Parts 301-311. The Department is in receipt of a Voluntary Cleanup Application submitted for part of a site currently listed on CERCLIS as Rico-Argentine (EPA ID# COD980952519).

Under CRS 25-16-309 (2) and our agency's joint Memorandum of Agreement (MOA), we are required to actively pursue a determination by the United States Environmental Protection Agency that no further federal action be taken with respect to the property at least until the voluntary cleanup plan is completely implemented. Consider that this letter meets the requirements of our statutory obligations. Please respond to this request in writing no later than noon M.S.T. on June 21, 1996.

If you have any questions, please contact me at 692-3449.

Sincerely.

Mark E. Walker

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